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4-1BB POLYPEPTIDES AND DNA ENCODING 4-1BB POLYPEPTIDES

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment in the above reference patent application.

In the Claims:

- 29. (amended) An isolated DNA [encoding a human 4-1BB polypeptide, wherein said DNA comprises] comprising a polynucleotide [sequence] selected from the group consisting of:
 - a) nucleotides 120-884 of SEQ ID NO:7;
 - b) nucleotides 189-884 of SEQ ID NO:7; and
 - c) a <u>poly</u>nucleotide [sequence] that is degenerate as a result of the genetic code to a nucleotide sequence of (a) or (b).
- 30. (amended) An isolated DNA encoding a [soluble human 4-1BB polypeptide, wherein said] polypeptide [is] selected from the group of consisting of polypeptides comprising amino acids 1-163 of SEQ ID NO:8 and polypeptides comprising a fragment of amino acids 1-163 of SEQ ID NO:8, the fragment capable binding a 4-1BB-L.